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TAGS: ETRD, EIND, UK  
SUBJECT: UK GOVERNMENT AID TO SHOE INDUSTRY

1. MINISTER OF STATE FOR INDUSTRY ALAN WILLIAMS  
ANNOUNCED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS JULY 28 THAT THE  
GOVERNMENT IS TO EXPLORE WITH THE FOOTWEAR INDUSTRY  
WAYS OF GIVING IT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE. THERE WOULD  
BE AN EXAMINATION OF HOW THE EXPORT CREDIT GUARANTEE  
DEPARTMENT AND THE BRITISH OVERSEAS TRADE BOARD COULD  
HELP EXPORTERS. WILLIAMS SAID A NEW FOOTWEAR COMMITTEE,  
UNDER THE NATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, WOULD  
BE ESTABLISHED.

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